

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of: Kiyoshi Kokubu
 Serial No. : 09/943,686
 Filed : August 31, 2001
 For : A SEALING VESSEL, METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THEREOF AND A DISPLAY APPARATUS USING SUCH SEALING VESSEL
 Group A.U. : 2879
 Date : June 25, 2003

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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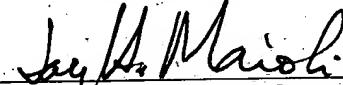
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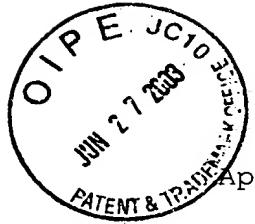
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of March 31, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows.